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IN THE SPECIFICATION

The specification has been amended at page 1, lines 1 – 3, as follows:

TITLE OF THE INVENTION

~~VLAN TO MPLS MAPPING: METHOD TO ESTABLISH END-TO-END TRAFFIC~~  
~~PATH SPANNING LOCAL AREA NETWORK AND A GLOBAL NETWORK~~  
APPARATUS AND METHOD TO PROVIDE NODE-TO-NODE CONNECTIVITY  
WITH A SHARED REMOTE NETWORK INTERFACE DEVICE